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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 15, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims beginning at page 2 of this document.

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